

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : CROWE et al.  
Serial No. : 10/047,383  
For : **APPARATUS FOR STIMULATING A MUSCLE OF A  
SUBJECT**  
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Examiner : George Evanisko  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 20, 2006 having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on March 20, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.